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SUBJ: ESCAP: BANGKOK AGREEMENT

REF: A) BANGKOK 3751 (NOTAL), B) BANGKOK 17936

1. REPUBLIC OF KOREA AMBASSADOR BYUNG KYU CHUN
DEPOSITED INSTRUMENT OF RATIFICATION OF BANGKOK
AGREEMENT WITH ESCAP EXECUTIVE SECRETARY MARAMIS
ON MAY 18. WITH THIS THIRD DEPOSIT BANGKOK AGREEMENT
WILL COME INTO FORCE JUNE 17.

2. BANGLADESH FIRST DEPOSITIED ITS RATIFICATION
INSTRUMENT ON FEBRUARY 2 AND DURING ESCAP 32ND
SESSION IN BANGKOK INDIAN COMMERCE MINISTER DEPOSITION
INSTRUMENT ON MARCH 25, 1976.

3. ESCAP SECRETARIAT EXPECTS SIR LANKA WILL RATIFY
BANGKOK AGREEMENT BY MAY 28 AND HOPES THAILAND AND
PHILIPPINES WILL RATIFY BEFORE JUNE 17. ONLY THOSE
STATES DEPOSITING INSTRUMENTS BEFORE JUNE 17 WILL

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HAVE RIGHTS OF ORIGINAL SIGNATORIES.

THIS MEANS THAT SIGNATORY STATES DEPOSITING INSTRUMENTS
AFTER JUNE 17 MUST NEGOTIATE ACCESSION TO AGREEMENT
AND SECURE THE RECOMMENDATION OF AT LEAST TWO
THIRDS OF PARTICIPATING STATES.

4. SECRETARIAT EXPECTS KOREA WILL PRESENT TEXT
BANGKOK AGREEMENT TO GATT AFTER IT COMES INTO FORCE.

5. REFTEL B SUMMARIZES AGREEMENT.
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